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Oct. 30-31

Founders Day, Homecoming Festivities Set

An exciting weekend's activities on campus will celebrate Gardner-Webb College's annual Founders Day and Homecoming events.

Founders Day will be observed with a festive dinner for invited guests at 7 p.m. Friday, Oct. 30, in the Charles I. Dover Campus Center.

Homecoming, scheduled for the following day, Saturday, Oct. 31, will include a gala parade, luncheon and informal alumni reunions before a 2 p.m. football game with Mars Hill College.

FOUNDERS DAY

Dr. Carl Bates will be featured speaker at the Founders Day Banquet, to be attended by about 500 guests including trustees, advisors and college associates. Dr. Bates is pastor of the Charlotte, N. C., First Baptist Church and president of the Southern Baptist Convention.

The day is planned to pay tribute to those who founded Gardner-Webb and those who have supported it, to point out the historical past of the college and its significance, and to give the present generation a look at a past generation dedicated to education.

HOMECOMING

Pretty coeds, floats and cheerleaders will highlight the annual Homecoming parade, to begin at 9:30 a.m. in nearby Shelby on Homecoming Saturday. The colorful caravan will wind around the county courthouse before traveling to Boiling Springs' uptown area about 10:30 a.m.

A tasty luncheon will be served to returning old grads and students in the Charles I. Dover Campus Center after the parade.

Serving lines will be open from 11:30 to 1 p.m. Those attending will have a choice of barbecue or chicken, with all the trimmings.

Luncheon tickets are \$1.00 per person and may be ordered from the college alumni office, using the coupon on this page. Children six years and under will be welcome free of charge.

There'll be no luncheon speaker. We'll use the time, instead, to renew acquaintances with old friends and faculty members and to meet today's crop of G-W students.

Climax of the day comes at 2 p.m. with the traditional Homecoming football game at Spangler Stadium. The Bulldogs' opponents will be a long-

standing rival, Mars Hill College. Homecoming . . . Mars Hill . . . a gleaming October afternoon . . . they go together at Gardner-Webb!

Make your plans now to attend Homecoming events, re-visit your campus and have a grand reunion with your classmates.

Homecoming's YOUR day. We'll be looking for you, Alumni!

DON'T FORGET . . .

Make Reservations
Today

Alumni Homecoming
Luncheon
Oct. 31

Please fill in
and return to:
Gardner-Webb College
Alumni Office
Boiling Springs, N. C.
28017

Please send _____ tickets to the
alumni luncheon Oct. 31. Enclosed is
my check for _____ to cover the
cost at \$1.00 per ticket.

Name _____

Street _____

City _____

Capital Fund Drive Well Under Way

Gardner-Webb's capital fund drive is moving in high gear toward its \$13 million goal.

The funds will build a new library, convert the present library into a classroom building, increase the college's endowment reserve, construct a new dormitory and double the size of the present administration building.

These items are considered "musts" as the college continues toward full senior college accreditation.

Actual campaign work has begun in some areas. The eleven campaign "districts" set up by the leadership committee include Shelby Kings

Mountain, Boiling Springs, Upper Cleveland County, Charlotte and Gaffney as well as two districts in Rutherford County and three in Gaston County.

Gardner-Webb alumni are being asked to assist their alma mater, both with financial support and services in carrying out the campaign. Alumni can assure that the college will continue to provide young people with "extra dimensional" Christian education. Please respond in the G-W appt when the campaign reaches your area.



Alumni Get Together . . .



NEW OFFICERS—New leaders were elected at a recent meeting of enthusiastic G-W alumni in Cherokee County, S. C. They are, left to right, Mrs. Frances Mintz '48, secretary, Mrs. Pat Wells '65, president, and the Rev. Clarence A. Hampton '46, vice president. The Rev. Hoyle Alexander, retiring chapter president, presided at the Holiday Inn autumn College officials attending, with information and reports on college events and activities, were Altona Director Jenny Elrod, Head Football Coach George Lisan, Director of Promotion Bill Boyd and Vice President Thomas J. McGraw.



A TRADITION OF LOYALTY—Very special alumni attending the Cherokee County, S. C., chapter awards were these three being greeted here by G-W's Thomas J. McGraw, vice president of academic affairs. Students whom the institution was a high school, they are, left to right, Miss Verna Hargraves, who attended in 1928-29; Mrs. Maggie Swafford, also a 1928-1929 student, and Mrs. Gordon Huskey Collier, 1907-12. They will share in the traditions of loyalty and service the Gardner-Webb staff.

ALUMNI MEETINGS

Oct. 8 GREENSBORO, N. C.
The Rev. Alfred Wright
President

Oct. 13 ASHEVILLE, N. C.
The Rev. Otha Revels
President

Oct. 20 SHELBY, N. C.
Dr. F. M. Nobles
President

Nov. 17 CHARLOTTE, N. C.
The Rev. Clyde Boarden
President

Scholarship Given

A \$500 scholarship to attend G-W's School of Nursing has been given by the Rutherford County Cancer Society. The scholarship will be an annual gift and will go to a worthy student who plans to attend the school. The presentation was made by Andy Blanton of Forest City, president of the county cancer society.

First recipient of the scholarship is Sandra Kaye Thompson of Spindale, N. C.

With The Faculty

New G-W Staffers Are Appointed

LUTHER M. BANNER of Swannanoa, N. C., has joined Gardner-Webb's faculty as an assistant director of student affairs. A Watauga County native, he earned bachelor's and master's degrees from Appalachian State University. He formerly taught and coached in the Buncombe County school system.

MRS. MARY CRAVEN SMITH of Forest City, N. C., is the new periodicals librarian for the college library. She is a graduate of East Carolina University.

G-W GEOLOGY instructor Richard G. Chalkcraft has a paper in the Southeastern Geology periodical published by Duke University. His article is entitled "Petrography and Geophysics of the Rock Hill Gabbro Pluton, York County, South Carolina."

DR. ROBERT BLACKBURN, director of the college's division of health and physical education, has been named co-chairman of the Na-

tional Research Conference in School Health. The conference is scheduled for March 30-31, 1971, in Detroit, Mich.

G-W PROFESSOR Hubert Dixon was named Lion of the Year by the Sealing Springs Lions Club recently. The veteran math professor was cited for his long years of service to the organization, to church and community as well as to G-W.

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If you realize it to seem just how large our web will grow, but this much we know, once you're across it, we never let you go. This is the spirit of Gardner-Webb.

WITH THE ALUMNI

R. Chassee Hall '48 has joined Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. in Winston-Salem, N. C., as an insurance consultant.

M. Sgt. Robert K. Bohak '52 is a radar technician at Luke Air Force Base in Arizona. He is married to the former Phyllis N. Cochran.

William Mosley Singleton '56 states that he and his husband have two children, Donna, 7, and David, 6. Her husband, Carol Singleton, is head designer for Chatham Manufacturing Co. William is active in Booneville Baptist Church, PTA and Girl Scouts. The Rev. William Arnold Bell '57 has been called to the pastorate of Albemarle Road Baptist Church in High Point. He and his wife, the former Ruth Camps, have two children.

John Roland Yaw '60 was granted the Ph.D. in mechanical engineering at N. C. State University in May.

Joe Deaton '62 is currently in basic training at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas. Johnny B. Adams '64 is employed by the Atlanta city police department. He and his wife, the former Kathleen Sturges of Beaverton, Ore., have a daughter, Dianne Louise.

James C. Fisher '64 has been appointed to the Tryon High School faculty as more

tant coach and biology teacher.

Philip C. Bowman '67 is a helicopter pilot near Vinh Long in South Vietnam. He recently received the Air Medal for meritorious service.

Gerald Lyon Scavely '67 served during the past summer as assistant pastor and youth director at Carboro Baptist Church in Carboro, N. C. He is a second-year student at Southeastern Seminary.

Austin E.C. Donald Lydic '69 is stationed at Udon Royal Air Force Base, Thailand.

MARRIAGES

Samuel B. Wilson, Jr. '53 to Emily Elizabeth Riddle of Charlotte, N. C.

Clare Borders Hamrick '61 to Kathryn Mae Hootch of Spencer, N. C.

James Marvin Brinkshaw '63 to Lorna Margaret Lamb of Hickory, N. C.

Myron Benson Paulsen '63 to Lynn Raymond Shaw of Lenoir, S. C.

Calvin Yates Sperling '63 to Joyner Ann Henshaw of Charlotte, N. C.

John Kent Chaffin '64 to Ruth Diane Stess of Zionsville, Ohio.

Jerry Neil Webb '65 to Peggy Diana Brown of Winston-Salem, N. C.

Donald Robert Horne '65 to Susan Elaine Miller of Jefferson, N. C.

Cynthia Ann Joseph '65 to Joe Cecil Shropshire of Blacksburg, Va.

Anna Louise Martin '65 to James L. Tow of Portsmouth, Va.

Wayne Garner '65 to Phyllis Anne Sinder of Asheville, N. C.

Frederick Roy Carpenter '66 to Kathy Sue Pope of Columbia, N. C.

Everette Glenn Lovelace Jr. '66 to Sandra Kay Campbell of Kings Mountain, N. C.

Peggy Sue Lowman '67 to Roger Norman Bonner of Hickory, N. C.

Angela Groe '67 to Marvin Withamson of Winston of Charlotte, N. C.

Hilda Kay Green '67 to Robert Darin McCarthy of Oakville, Conn.

Terry Wayne Bell '67 to Deborah Kaye Harmon of Lenoire, N. C.

Kenneth Wayne Colson '67 to Teresa Ann Barber of Smithfield, N. C.

Ann Beale '68 to Albert Larry Rhodes of Elizabeth City, N. C.

Willard Ray Blackwood Jr. '68 to Rhonda Vickie Gamble of Shelby, N. C.

Mary Cathy Christopher '68 to Ernest Wendell Arnold Jr. of Shelby, N. C.

Sandra Lynn McWhorter '68 to James Steven Hamrick of Shelby, N. C.

George Richard Parley '68 to Carolyn Louise Moore of Kings Mountain, N. C.

Alan Kay Padgett '68 to Doreen Ann Andrews of Highland, N. Y.

Danna Faye Thurston '68 to William Gregory Hedemuth of Macon, Ga.

James Malcolm Thornton Jr. '68 to Faye Lavonne Moore of Raleigh, N. C.

Floyd Ray Rasmussen Jr. '68 to Teresa Cranford Foster of Asheville, N. C.

Patsy Elizabeth Shott '68 to Gary Dwight Owens of Cape, N. C.

Susan Renee Cook '68 to Joe M. Cox of Lake City, Tenn.

Patricia Dawn Edwards '68 to Sidney Pat Smith of Lexington, N. C.

Richard Allen Bonfield '69 to Martha Lynn Hurley of Newton, N. C.

William Clive Bonfield '69 to Rebecca Ann Langford of Asheville, N. C.

Larue Bryant Cox Jr. '69 to Marjorie Ann Johnson of High Point, N. C.

Kathie Ellen Gibson '69 to Terry Lee Leatherwood of Waynesville, N. C.



AT THE MET—Gordon Webb, chorale Frank Colby is a member of the Metropolitan Opera's regular chorus, a postcard error that requires the knowledge of at least 24 operas. A baritone, he lives in New York but frequently visits his family in Boone, N. C. He studied at Gardner-Webb with Nannie Gidday and earned his bachelor of music degree at Oberlin College after study that included a year at the Hochschule in Salzburg, Germany. He earned a master of music at the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston, Massachusetts. Formerly a member of the soaring White Lo Singers, he has performed in outdoor drama, summer stock and television, also.

Dr. R. R. Hardin

Dr. Rector R. Hardin, 68, chairman of Gardner-Webb's division of general business, died Aug. 28 of a heart attack.

A Rutherford County native, he was a graduate of Berea College in Kentucky and earned a master's and Ph.D. degree at Duke University. He did additional study at Harvard University.

G.W. Vice President of Academic Affairs Thomas J. McGraw said Dr. Hardin "will be greatly missed . . . he was not only a fine man, but an outstanding and dedicated teacher."

A member of the Rolling Springs Baptist Church and numerous business, civic and professional societies and organizations, he is survived by his wife, the former Miss Joanne Tumlin, a son and a daughter.

Susan Grace Greer '69 to Joe Ramsey Winstead of Elon College, N. C.

Edna Mack Kile '69 to Frances Marie Parker of Hickory, N. C.

Jockie Dianne Maxwell '69 to the Rev. David Clarence Grinstead of Snow Camp, N. C.

Steven Fiske Moffitt '69 to Mary Ann Derham of Brazil.

Paula Ann Padgett '69 to Thomas Wayne Sutherland '69, both of Shelby, N. C.

John Michael Terry '69 to Barbara Ann DeHone of Greenville, N. C.

Lavonne Sue Whitlock '69 to Donald Franklin Ratliff of Charlotte, N. C.

Rachel Virginia Womack '69 to Richard Hayes Rley of Jacksonville, Fla.

IN MEMORIAM

Miss Margaret L. Green '33, April 6, 1970. The Rev. George Gardner '47, August, 1969.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Walker '60 and '62, a daughter, Wendy Lee Walker, Aug. 23, 1970. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Markow (Doris Ann Banning '63), a daughter, Amy Lee, May 18, 1970. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hudson '67 (Ruby Glavin '67) a daughter, Susan Leigh, July 3, 1970.



COMMEDED—Major Newton R. Hardin '46, U. S. Air Force chaplain, has been awarded a commendation medal for meritorious service at Laje Field in the Azores, his previous duty station. Now assigned to Nellis Air Force Base in Nevada, he is graduate of Gardner-Webb, Central Newmark College and Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. He also has served at other air bases in Nebraska, Japan and Florida more being called to active duty in 1958. He's married to the former Miss Adeedy Smith of Lexington. They have an 18-year-old son, Randolph, college freshman, and a 14-year-old, Lonnie.

Against Senior Foes

First Game Proves Bulldogs' Mettle

Although they lost the battle on the score board, Gardner-Webb's Bulldogs showed Sept. 14 they can take on senior college football foes.

A crowd of more than 3500 Hied Spangler Stadium to see the Bulldogs, newest newcomer to four-year competition, play Lenoir-Rhyne College's top-rated, powerful Bears. The game launched a historical football season for G-W, its first as a senior school.

Although the Bulldogs were down 23-14, they showed their mettle in the second half. Lenoir-Rhyne scored all its points in the first half. The Bulldogs held them scoreless in the second.

"I was well pleased with the way they

came back in the second half and held the Bears," said Coach George Limon. "It proves they don't give up."

He commended his defensive unit for particularly fine play.

The enthusiastic crowd, drawn by the opportunity to see some top-notch football, noisily cheered the underdog G-W team for its spunky efforts.

Coming out of the clash with no serious injuries, the Bulldogs were ready for other tough foes on the schedule, including Newberry, Millsaps, Guilford, Sevier, Rockford State, Mars Hill, Presbyterian, Georgetown and Elon.

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Nov 24	Burber Scotts, Concord, N. C.	Home
Nov 27-28	Asheville Tip Off Tournament	Away
Dec 4-5	High Point Tournament	Away
Dec 7	Tusculum, Greenville, Tenn.	Home
Dec 12	Shenandoah, Roanoke, Va.	Home
Dec 17	University of West Florida, Pensacola, Fla.	Home
Dec 18	North Carolina Central University, Durham, N. C.	Home
Dec 23-28	Gardner-Webb Holiday Tournament Western Carolina University, Blue College, Belmont College	Home
Dec 31	Campbell College	Rutherfordton
Jan 2	High Point College	Home
Jan 7	Point Park, Pittsburgh, Penn.	Home
Jan 9	Marsella Southern Methodist, Ga.	Home
Jan 12	Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Va.	Away
Jan 16	St. Augustine, Raleigh, N. C.	Home
Jan 18	North Carolina Central University Durham, N. C.	Away
Jan 21	Piedmont College, Demorest, Ga.	Home
Jan 26-30	Virginia Highlands University, Virginia Islands	Away
Feb 4	Great Roberts University, Tulsa, Okla.	Home
Feb 9	Piedmont College, Demorest, Ga.	Away
Feb 11	Allen University, Columbia, S. C.	Home
Feb 18	St. Augustine Raleigh, N. C.	Away
Feb 20	UNC-Asheville	Home

Educators Meet With Candidates

The growing problem of overcrowded state schools and slowly decreasing enrollment at private colleges was given close study by a group of legislative candidates and private and public college officials at a recent Gardner-Webb College conference. Ten candidates were present along with officials from Gaston College, Belmont Abbey and Gardner-Webb.

This was one of a series of meetings being held over the state with officials of private schools who are members of the North Carolina Association of Independent Colleges and Universities.

Virgil McElrath, executive director of the college group, pointed out several factors causing the problem. He said 41 private colleges in North Carolina charge an average \$1075 per year for tuition and fees. Fifteen state colleges or universities charge \$800 for the same services and community colleges charge \$120 per student.

It was pointed out by college officials that last year there were more than 3,000 empty spaces in private colleges while the state schools were overcrowded.

It would cost the state an estimated \$25,000,000 in lost to provide space in state colleges or universities for those 36,000 students now in private colleges.

In 1958 the breakdown of attendance showed that private and public institutions had an equal percentage of the state's students. Today it is estimated that 65 percent attend state schools compared to 35 percent private schools.

The group discussed the possibility of providing personal grants to students who registered such aid to be used by the student to pay his tuition at a private institution. No figure was suggested or proposed to the group. McElrath said that 22 states have such legislation today and it is being considered by several others.

Weavings.... 

—The Rev. Jan H. C. Walker, pastor of the Hendersonville, N. C., First Baptist Church, led G-W Christian Emphasis Week services on the campus in September. Allen Tolley, minister of music at Kings Mountain's First Baptist Church, was in charge of music.

—Gardner-Webb's share from the North Carolina Foundation of Church-Related Colleges was \$10,000 this year, it is reported. Total amount given to Ten Hool colleges was more than \$700,000. Twenty-five member institutions shared in the funds, donated by the state's business and industry.

—Dr. Ben C. Fisher, who was to become executive secretary of the Southern Baptist Convention Education Commission Oct. 1, is a former Gardner-Webb faculty member. He was chairman of the college's English department in 1947 and a year later became G-W's director of public relations and executive assistant to the president. He held this post until 1952.

—Two courses in business administration are being offered during night school this semester. The courses are in general insurance and business principles both beginning studies.